

THE PHILS LOST THE LEAD A FEW MINUTES, BUT GRABBED IT RIGHT BACK FROM GIANTS

PHILLIES REFUSE TO QUIT AND WIN SECOND GAME AFTER GIANTS TAKE THE LEAD; ALEX AGAIN IS BUMPED

Pat Moran's Employes Pull Second Game Out of Fire and Split Double Bill; George Whit-ted's Bat Drives in Four Runs

THE Phillies proved to a regular world's series mob yesterday that they are a first-class ball club. Even the most dubious guys in the park will admit it now, for the performance against the highly touted Giants had class sticking out all over it.

That closing battle was a fitting finish to a perfect day. A stage manager couldn't have improved on the act our athletes put over and the climax had all of the thrills of a melodrama. First the Phils won the game in the opening stanza when three runs were scored. This was considered more than enough, as Mayer was going good and the high-priced sluggers were biting the dust in one-two-three order.

BUT the predominating feature of the matinee was the fact that the Phillies refused to quit. In the first game they were fighting to the last and in the second they didn't overlook a single hit to score a run.

Alex Fell by the Wayside for Fifth Consecutive Time

ONE day in the spring of 1916 Grover Alexander pitched against the Giants and won his game. The date, which should go down in history, was April 12, and the score was 5 to 4.

But that was not all. When the opportunity came a second time, Luderus tried to make a goal from the field on Kauff's grounder and Benny was placed in a position to score on Robertson's double.

This makes the fifth consecutive time Alex has been manhandled by the McGraw bunch. Last year his first setback was in the afternoon of Decoration Day, when he was yanked in the seventh frame after allowing ten hits and seven runs.

FERDIE SCHUPP had some hard luck in the second game. He relieved Jim Middleton when the score was tied and remained long enough to be charged with the defeat.

Dreyfuss Willing to Try One-Legged Player—At Usual Rates

BAINÉY DREYFUSS, Smoketown baseball magnate, is giving a characteristic exhibition in his latest move to solve the long outstanding problem of securing a real first baseman for the Pirates.

The Pittsburgh spendthrift even is willing to take a chance on a one-legged first-sacker. He wants Vic Saier, now at liberty as a result of being turned adrift by the Cubs on account of his break in fortune that assumed the form of a broken leg.

Dreyfuss figured the real economical and resourceful thing to do would be to waive on Saier and then pick him up for nothing. He finds, however, more than one obstacle in the path of his plans.

DREYFUSS figured on saving a clean \$1500 by grabbing Saier without accepting him at the waiver price, but he finds that if he now persists in seeking him he will be compelled to appease the injured player and satisfy the Chicago club by paying out \$2500, the approximate sum due Saier for the rest of the season.

One-Arm Golfing Big Fad on European Courses

ONE-ARMED golf is one of the sport fads abroad as the result of the war. A large number of half-equipped players are now said to be seen on the links of both France and England.

A letter has been received in this country from Phil Carter, the Yale golfer and former metropolitan junior champion, now at the front. Shortly after reaching Paris, Carter states that he had the opportunity of going around the celebrated La Boule links and making a 72.

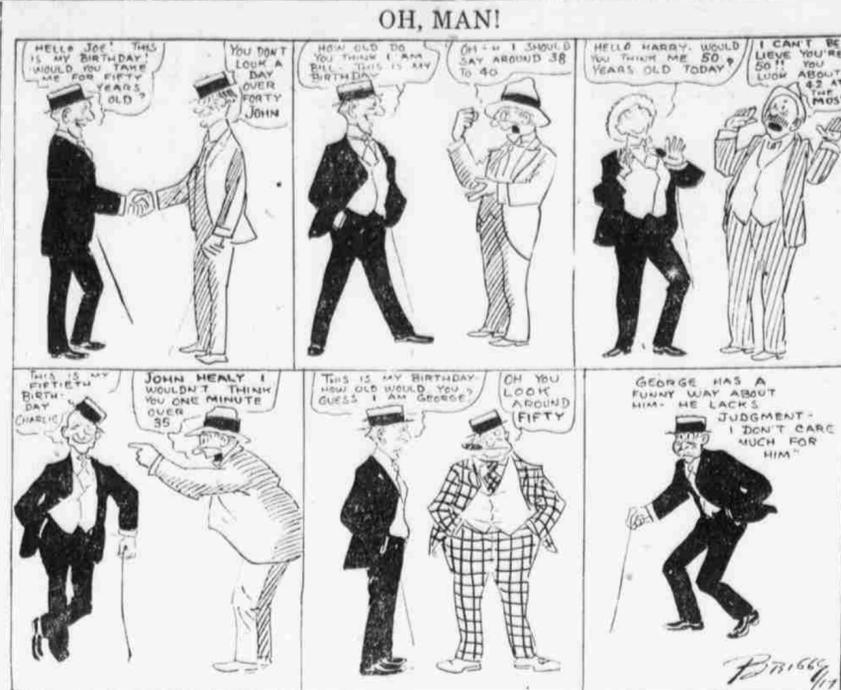
Phil states that the newfangled golfer abroad is the real thing, and that it is astonishing how well some of them can play. He declares that they are especially proficient at putting, being able to handle this feature of play with un-sus-sky skill.

THE erstwhile metropolitan junior champion is in the American ambulance corps, and had two weeks' practice in running an old car before being sent to the front to take charge of a "regular" ambulance.

Two Phils Sent Back to Minors

PAT MORAN, general in charge at the Phils' barracks, has gotten out his favorite pruning knife for a change and, as the blade falls, it is announced that Claude Cooper and Marty McGaffigan are going to do service in the minors.

McGaffigan is booked to go to the International. Marty gets a one-way passage to the Richmond Club and unless Bert Niehoff breaks a leg the little fellow will get acquainted with the southern atmosphere.



M'INNIS STARS WITH THE WILLOW

Four Hits for Stuff in Five Times at Bat While A's Lose to Yanks

COBB AGAIN HITS SAFELY

Stuff, McInnis' feat of four hits in five times at bat; Ty Cobb's ability to keep his slats clean at twenty-two games; a hit or more in every contest; Clavy's fine strike-work; thirteen big league ball games, and new stars among the first five batters in both leagues are the outstanding features of yesterday's play.

The five leaders stand today: Player, Club, G., AB., R., H., P.P. Cobb, Detroit, 54, 213, 37, 80, 126; Speaker, Chicago, 54, 213, 37, 80, 126; McInnis, Phila., 55, 211, 45, 67, 118; Fisher, Pittsburgh, 55, 210, 35, 55, 118; Veach, Detroit, 58, 206, 28, 61, 101.

Table with columns for Player, Club, G., AB., R., H., P.P. listing statistics for American League and National League players.

HORSE RACES ARE ON SCHEDULE FOR JULY 4

Frankford, Belmont and Pitman Tracks Arrange Meets for the Glorious Day

Independence Day will be a great day for racers of this and vicinities. Meetings will be held at the Frankford, Belmont and Pitman (N. J.) club tracks.

The Belmont meet at Narberth will be a free-gate matinee, with trainers chiefly taking part.

William Kelly, a local man, has secured a new prospect in Lorraine Binger, by Binger, 2-year-old, at a recent special sale and Tommy White, of Veach, bought a new one in Max McLintock, 2:15.

Half-mile track harness racing for \$400 purses is scheduled this week at Chesterdown, Md.

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More on Grips—Use Only One

THE golfer should grasp his club in the most comfortable way as long as the general idea of the finger grip is kept—little details are individual.



CHARLES EVANS, Jr. does not seem adapted to one. My grip is just the plain finger grip—that is, I have all fingers on the shaft. I try always to be conscious of a sense of touch, a certain feeling that comes only through the tip of one's fingers.

Thumbs Down the Shaft

One day, Mr. Jack Sellers, a splendid iron player, suggested that I put my thumbs down the shaft for iron shots.

Ty Cobb Must Hit Safely in 23 More Games to Tie Ness's Consecutive Record

Ty Cobb will have to hit safely in his next twenty-three games to tie the world's record for consecutive games in which he has hit safely.

CONNIE MACK PAYS \$5000 FOR CHATTAHOOGA HURLER

Bacon, Star of Staff, to Join the Athletics in a Few Days

WESTERN TENNIS TOURNAMENT WILL START ON JUNE 30

CHICAGO, June 27.—The western patriotic tennis tournament, which this year will replace the Western championship events, will be held on the courts of the Chicago Tennis Club and will start June 30.

Former Wrestling Champion Dies

PORTLAND, Ore., June 27.—Joe Acton, wrestling champion of America and England, a quarter of a century ago and known to sport followers as the "Iron Horse," died here yesterday; aged sixty-five years.

THE REAL SPORT THRILL FINDS ITS SUBLIMEST EXPRESSION IN EXPERIENCE OF MACHINE GUNNER

Faces All the Excitement That One Human Heart Can Carry for Time Being—Draft Will Soon Catch Ball Players

By GRANTLAND RICE In No-Man's Land The gray ghosts meet when night droops down? To talk of charge and counter-charge, Of trench attack or blazing town? To laugh, maybe, at fear or pain, Or are they now content to know? A dreamless and eternal sleep?

THE leading thrill is hard to determine. We have always heard and believed that the main thrill came in an airplane attack some 10,000 or 12,000 feet above the ground.

But the plain and unadorned facts are that the draft may yet upset expected conditions and revise considerable midsummer dope. For example, it is easy enough to know where the Red Sox would finish.

It's a shame the way Ty Cobb has continued to slip. He has only been batting .324 for the last month, but the excessive heat may have accounted in part for this otherwise unaccountable skidding.

The citizen who wagered that Eddie Dohah, of the Reds, would outbat his old rival, Benny Kauff, of the Giants, may not collect, but we doubt very much that any one could get him to call off the bet for a 30-cent cash dividend just at this steamy moment.

The Lone Cinch Any country that can develop 100 men willing to be umpires should have no trouble at all in developing 5,000 men willing to battle in first-line trenches.

The Main Upset Between now and September 1 the draft list will be taken in and more than two or three big league players are sure to be

WOMEN GET EQUAL RIGHTS ON CHICAGO GOLF LINKS CHICAGO, June 27.—Equal rights for men and women on the golf links have been established by the Calumet Country Club, which has announced plans for the new nine-hole course.

Half-Strides One of the greatest philosophies extant is to figure in advance the worst that can happen and then train the system for the shock. The pen is mightier than the sword only until the clink arrives.

You've never had to knit four hours a day," writes one of them; "but if you did, would you keep your eye on the needle or on the sweater?" Neither. On the clock.

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